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PATENT APPLICATION  
Do. No. 8514-25 (ST-A21)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Ned HOFFMAN and Philip Dean LAPSLEY

Serial No. 09/398,914

Examiner: EATON, Kimberly B.

Confirmation No.: 1647

Filed: September 16, 1999

Group Art Unit: 3621

For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROCESSING TOKENLESS BIOMETRIC  
ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSIONS USING AN ELECTRONIC RULE MODULE  
CLEARINGHOUSE**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Responsive to the Office Action dated May 22, 2002, enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
For:	Number After Amendment	Previous Number	Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	51	51	0	x \$9 =	\$0
Independent Claims	3	3	0	x \$42 =	\$0
Extension of Time - 1 <sup>st</sup>					\$ 55
Extension of Time - 2 <sup>nd</sup>					\$
Extension of Time - 3 <sup>rd</sup>					\$
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims					\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$55.00

\*greater of twenty (20) or number for which fee has been paid

\*\*greater of three (3) or number for which fee has been paid

- ☒ Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response by one month. The extension fee is included and a duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.
- ☒ PTO Form 2038 authorizing credit card payment for the above-listed fees is enclosed.
- ☒ Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to deposit account number 13-1703.

Respectfully submitted,

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ON September 23, 2002  
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